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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

FROM:

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SUBJECT:

12 November Meeting of Vice President's Task Force on

Combatting Terrorism

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- 1. Attached is an updated briefing book for the subject meeting. It contains issue papers received over the weekend; none have been changed significantly over previous versions.
- 2. The only issue scheduled for discussion today is #3, which calls for the establishment of a National Coordinator for Combatting Terrorism in the NSC staff. The attached contains a detailed briefing paper on that issue. It also contains comments on other issues, just in case they come up.
- 3. I should note that we still have another round of meetings scheduled before this report is presented to the President: Both the Senior Review Group and the Task Force itself will meet again. Hence we still have time to work these issues even if they are not resolved today.

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